

General Assembly

Proposed Bill No. 6295

January Session, 2015



Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by:

REP. DILLON, 92nd Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING A HEALTH ZONE PILOT PROGRAM.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That title 19a of the general statutes be amended to require the
- 2 Department of Public Health to establish a health zone pilot program
- 3 to (1) reduce health disparities among racial and ethnic minority
- 4 populations and geographic areas, (2) improve health care access and
- 5 health outcomes in underserved communities, (3) improve access to
- 6 support and mental health for people in areas affected by violence, and
- 7 (4) strengthen resilience and support opportunities in communities.

Statement of Purpose:

To require the Department of Public Health to establish a health zone pilot program.

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